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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-93764)

DATE: 2/28/62

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (105-8883) (C)

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DATE OF REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION 2-28-82

SUBJECT: RICHARD S. CAIN
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Re letters of Legat, Mexico, to the Bureau dated 11/30/61 and 12/15/61. U

Files of the Chicago Division reflect that CAIN, a former detective on the Chicago Police Department, with a reputation of having engaged in wire tapping activities, who operated as a private detective under the name Accurate Detective Laboratories, 166 W. Washington St., Chicago, Ill. after leaving the force, has been the subject of considerable press attention in recent years. U

The 2/14/59 issue of the "Chicago American", a Chicago daily newspaper, carried a news story reporting that when CAIN and his partner, GERALD T. SHALLOW, of the vice squad arrested a prostitute 2/13/59 they discovered she had a hoard of $65,000. CAIN and his partner reportedly spurned a bribe of $25,000 in making this arrest. U

The "Chicago Daily News", a Chicago daily newspaper, in an article in the 10/6/59 issue reported that CAIN and SHALLOW, described as a "crack detective team" who had been harassing pornography peddlers and prostitutes with arrests which stood up, were split up and sent to outlying police districts a few weeks after arresting a news dealer for selling allegedly obscene matter. U

The "Chicago American" on 11/11/59 reported that CAIN and SHALLOW had been separated and transferred to district stations, only to be transferred back to the vice squad a few weeks later. U

On 4/20/60 the "Chicago American" reported that CAIN U

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ENCLOSURE

CC's of Chicago letter & all enclosures to Legat, Mexico

3/6/62

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of SA [redacted] dated 3/27/59 and 8/3/59 at Chicago in the matter captioned "GERALD SHALLOW; RICHARD CAIN; HARRY FIGEL - VICTIM; Civil Rights".

Also enclosed for forwarding to Legat, Mexico, are the following, which contain information pertaining to CAIN:

Chicago airtel to the Bureau dated 11/2/60 captioned "ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES; IS - Cuba; FPM - Cuba", together with a related letterhead memorandum similarly dated.

Photostat of CIA letter to the Bureau dated 11/4/60 regarding RICHARD S. CAIN, classified SECRET.

Photostat of Chicago letter to the Bureau dated 1/30/61, captioned "RICHARD S. CAIN; IS - Cuba".

Photostats of reports of SA [redacted] dated 12/1/61 and 12/26/61 at Chicago, captioned "ACCURATE DETECTIVE LABORATORIES, aka; UPUC".

Photostat of report of SA [redacted] dated 12/13/61 at New York, captioned "ACCURATE DETECTIVE LABORATORIES, aka; UPUC".

Report of SA [redacted] JR., dated 11/14/61 at NFO, captioned "KANE INVESTIGATORS; UPUC".

For the further information of Legat, Mexico, by letter dated 1/2/61 the St. Louis Division advised that a service record for CAIN could not be located at GSA, Military Personnel Records Center. [redacted]

Chicago files contain no other information identifiable with CAIN.

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